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Frisco Police Investigating Fatality Accident

FRISCO, TX – At about 2:10 a.m. this morning, Frisco police and fire personnel responded to the 11500 block of Locust Dr in response to a pedestrian being stuck by a vehicle. Upon arrival, officers determined that the driver of a Ford Explorer had been hit by a Chevy truck that had been chasing him from Little Elm. The subject was transported by CareFlite to Baylor Medical Center in Dallas, where he was pronounced dead as a result of his injuries.

During the investigation, it was determined that the driver of the Chevy, 43-year-old Roberto Ramirez of Little Elm, was chasing the Explorer after he observed them in his secured lot in Little Elm near the intersection of FM 423 and FM 720. According to Ramirez, his property was broken into the previous night and he believed the occupants of the Explorer may have been stealing from him this morning. As Ramirez entered his property, he observed the Explorer drive away and bust through a fence to exit his property. He gave chase and followed them south on FM 423 and then into a residential area of Frisco. The Explorer then turned on Locust Dr, which is a cul-de-sac, and the driver of the Explorer, 32-year-old Jonathon Rager of Little Elm, braked suddenly and jumped out of his vehicle. Ramirez's truck then sideswiped the Explorer, and then struck Rager as he was exiting. The passenger of the Explorer, 31-year-old Nathan Johnson of Aubrey, was not injured and was arrested for unrelated warrants.

The investigation is still on-going, and at this time no criminal charges have been filed against Ramirez.

For additional information about this incident, please refer to Frisco Police Department report 10-081374.

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